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Docket No.: 50212-317

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR MAKING OPTICAL FIBER PREFORM	:	

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

The following Amendment and Remarks are submitted in response to the Office

Action dated May 12, 2004.